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A GARDEN of HERBS



— CULTIVATION —

Herbs will thrive in poor soil with very little care. Generally the annuals require plenty of sunlight, air and warmth and not too much water. Gravelly, sandy soil make the best beds—soil must be sweet and occasionally limed.

Soil for window box of herbs may be prepared from one part compost—two parts sand—one part loam.

Perennial herbs require the same treatment as all other perennials in the garden; divide clumps every two or three years and cut back often.

For an early start sow seeds in a hot frame, otherwise outdoors in early Spring. Most herb seeds may be sown as late as June. Directions on proper sowing of the various seeds in this packet will be found stamped on the stake marker attached to each envelope. Use the stake to mark the plot in which the seed is sown by imbedding it in the center of the plot. Generally sow by simply pressing seed in soil just enough to cover over. Large seeds like coriander sow about twice deep in the ground of its size. When seedlings develop two to three leaves transplant to desired place in the garden. The best time to transplant is at sundown on a mild, windless day and plant about twelve inches apart. Keep ground moist until seedlings are well established.

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— HARVESTING —

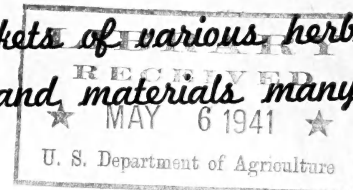
Cut down leaf herbs just before they go to seed. Blossom herbs should be gathered just before the blossoms open. Seed herbs should be gathered just before they ripen and fall to the ground. Harvest on a warm day early in the morning.

— DRYING FOR USE —

The simplest method to dry herbs is to tie the herbs in bunches and clean them by hanging upside down and playing a gentle spray of water from the hose on them. Allow the water to drip freely and hang for a while in the warm sun where they may have the benefit of a gentle breeze. As soon as they are dry remove to a dry room with plenty of circulating air to hang until they are perfectly dry and brittle. Remove leaves from stems and crush with a rolling pin. Store the finished product in airtight jars for future use.

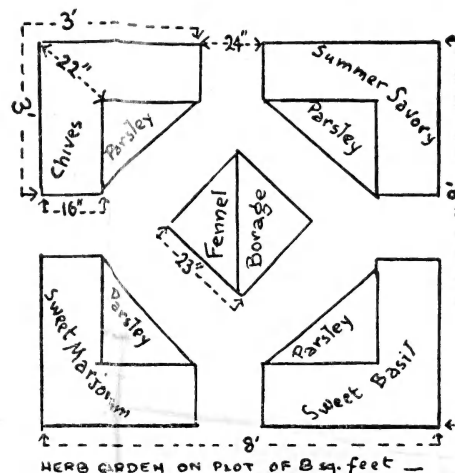
DRY HERBS IN JARS

From this package containing 10 packets of various herb seeds, complete with full directions and materials many delightful hours are spent.



DESIGN and PLAN

FOR HERB GARDEN



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To proceed with any plan selected first work and prepare the soil and then lay out, the design by using twine, stakes and a ruler or yardstick. Seeds may be sown directly in the various plots or seedlings may be transplanted from the frame.

— SUGGESTED USES —

CUMIN SEED—To flavor cheese dishes, bread, cookies.
CORIANDER SEED—For bread and rolls.
SWEET MAJORAM—For bean soup, egg and meat dishes.
CURLY PARSLEY—For garnishing and general use.
SWEET BASIL—Used in all tomato dishes.
SUMMER SAVORY—Mixed in poultry stuffing.
ROSEMARY—To flavor soups, stews and pork.
SAGE—For turkey stuffing.
DILL SEED—Mix with salad condiments.
SORREL—Used in salads and sorrel soup.
FENNEL SEED—For fish sauces and cookies.
CHERVIL—For salads, as a garnish.
BORAGE—as a pot herb, for cream soups.
CHIVES—Wherever onion flavor is desired.
THYME—For meats, gravies, chowders.
CARAWAY SEED—To flavor bread-cheese dishes.
LAVENDER—Blossoms used for their fragrance.
RUE—Used in salads and sandwiches.
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NASTURTIUM—Flowers used in salads.

— PLANTING GUIDE —

Annual—	grows	12" high	—	plant	8" apart
Annual—		12"	—		6"
Annual—		8"	—		10"
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Annual—		12"	—		12"
Annual—		12"	—		10"
Perennial Shrub—			—		15"
Perennial—		18"	—		15"
Annual—		36"	—		15"
Perennial—		30"	—		15"
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Annual—		8"	—		10"
Annual—		25"	—		12"
Perennial—		12"	—		8"
Perennial—		5"	—		10"
Biennial		25"	—		15"
Perennial—		24"	—		12"
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Annual Vine—			—		20"

Twin Trees Gardens
LYNBROOK, N. Y.

HERB SEASONING BLENDS
IN GIFT PACKAGES

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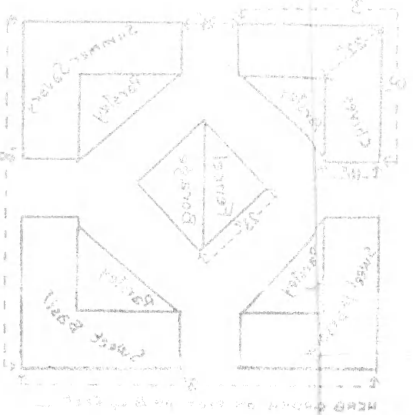
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HERB SEEDS

CUMIN* 12"
CORIANDER* 12"
SWEET MARJORAM* 8"
CURLY PARSLEY† 5"
SWEET BASIL* 8"
SUMMER SAVORY* 12"
ROSEMARY† SHRUB
SAGE† 18"
DILL* 36"
SORREL† 24"
FENNEL* 30"
CHERVIL* 8"
BORAGE* 24"
CHIVES† 12"
THYME† 5"
CARAWAY† 24"
LAVENDER† 24"
RUE† 24"
NASTURTIUM* VINE
WHITE ALYSSUM* 6"

*-ANNUAL †-PERENNIAL ‡-BIENNIAL

A CHARMING GARDEN OF HERBS

10 regular packets of assorted herb seed of high quality and germination with 10 stakes stamped with name of seed and planting directions including a design and fully explained plan to lay out an herb garden—and instruction for sowing, cultivating, harvesting, drying and uses for herbs—all packed in a handy attractive box for only \$1.00 postpaid.

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HERB PLANTS

Hardy Perennials - Well Rooted
Healthy 2 1/4 inch Pot Stock

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Pot Marjoram	★	MAY... 6. 1941	25c each	★
Rosemary			30c	
Rue		U. S. Department of Agriculture	25c	
Sage			25c	"
Tarragon			40c	"
Lemon Thyme			25c	"
Winter Savory			25c	"
Spearmint			25c	"
Beebalm			25c	"
Applemint			25c	"
Peppermint			25c	"
Costmary			25c	"
Lavender Vera			30c	"
Rose Geranium			35c	"
Finger Bowl Geranium			35c	"
Apple Geranium			\$1.00	"

